



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patrick T. McMullen et al)
Serial No.: 10/078,572)
Filed: February 20, 2002)
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
PROVIDING THREE AXIS MAGNETIC)
BEARING HAVING PERMANENT)
MAGNETS MOUNTED ON RADIAL)
POLE STACK)

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Nestor Ramirez

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 8, 2003, please amend the claims as set forth in the sheet headed AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS.

In view of the comments set forth in the enclosed sheet headed REMARKS, it is requested that the application be passed to issue with claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11 and 14 therein.

Respectfully submitted,

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